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FIRE WEATHER FORECAST
Northern, Central, & Southern Zones
Saturday, July 25, 2015

NFDRL LATEST OBS (YESTERDAYS)					
FDRA	# STATIONS	OBS DATE	OBS ERC	STAFFING LEVEL	
OKANOGAN MOUNTAINS EAST	2	● 7/24/15	36	4	VERY HIGH
OKANOGAN MOUNTAINS WEST	2	● 7/24/15	38	4	VERY HIGH
CHELAN MOUNTAINS	2	● 7/24/15	39	4	VERY HIGH
KITTITAS YAKIMA MOUNTAINS	3	● 7/24/15	32	4	VERY HIGH
CHELAN OKANOGAN VALLEYS	3	● 7/24/15	39	4	VERY HIGH
KITTITAS YAKIMA VALLEYS	2	● 7/24/15	41	4	VERY HIGH
RESPONSE AREA AVERAGE				4	

KLICKITAT – GRAYBACK	FUEL MODEL G	49
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FDRA	ERC 90%
OKANOGAN MOUNTAINS EAST	40
OKANOGAN MOUNTAINS WEST	45
CHELAN MOUNTAINS	43
KITTITAS YAKIMA MOUNTAINS	43
CHELAN OKANOGAN VALLEYS	44
KITTITAS YAKIMA VALLEYS	43
KLICKITAT – GRAYBACK	70

GENERAL DISCUSSION FROM SPOKANE WEATHER SERVICE FOR CENTRAL & NORTHERN ZONES

SPRING-LIKE WEATHER WILL PREVAIL THROUGH MONDAY AS A COLD TROUGH OF LOW PRESSURE SLOWLY MOVES OVER THE INLAND NORTHWEST. SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS WILL SUBSIDE THIS EVENING BUT THEY WILL REDEVELOP ON SUNDAY. MORE SHOWERS ARE EXPECTED FOR MONDAY MAINLY OVER THE PANHANDLE AND EXTREME EASTERN WASHINGTON. HOT DRY WEATHER WILL RETURN TO THE REGION BY THE END OF NEXT WEEK.

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR CENTRAL ZONES 676, 677, 680, 682:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY. SLIGHT CHANCE OF RAIN SHOWERS.
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	49 ° VALLEYS 41 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	80 % VALLEYS 90 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	VALLEYS: NORTHWEST 8 TO 13 MPH.
	KITTITAS VALLEY:
	RIDGES: GUSTS UP TO 35 MPH IN THE EVENING DECREASING TO 25 MPH OVERNIGHT
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	10 %
TOMORROWS WEATHER:	PARTLY SUNNY. CHANCE OF RAIN SHOWERS THROUGH THE DAY. SLIGHT CHANCE OF THUNDERSTORMS IN THE AFTERNOON.

This concludes the afternoon fire weather forecast for CENTRAL ZONES at (Time):__:__ PM. KOC 284 / WNAS 693

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR NORTHERN ZONES 684, 685, 687:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY. SLIGHT CHANCE OF RAIN SHOWERS IN THE EVENING.
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	49 ° VALLEYS 42 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	70 % VALLEYS 80 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	VALLEYS: WEST 5 TO 8 MPH. GUSTS UP TO 25 MPH IN THE EVENING.
	OKANOGAN VALLEYS: GUSTS UP TO 25 MPH IN THE EVENING.
	RIDGES: SOUTHWEST 6 TO 10 MPH IN THE EVENING SHIFTING TO THE NORTHWEST 5 TO 9 MPH OVERNIGHT
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	0 %
TOMORROWS WEATHER:	MOSTLY CLOUDY. CHANCE OF RAIN SHOWERS

This concludes the AFTERNOON fire weather forecast for the NORTHERN ZONES at (Time):__:__ PM. KOC 284 / WNAS 693

GENERAL DISCUSSION FROM THE PENDLETON WEATHER SERVICE FOR THE SOUTHERN ZONES

A LARGE LOW PRESSURE SYSTEM AND A SERIES OF EMBEDDED DISTURBANCES WILL BRING SCATTERED SHOWERS...ISOLATED THUNDERSTORMS...AND BREEZY WINDS THROUGH MONDAY. MOST STORMS THAT DEVELOP SHOULD HAVE FEWER THAN 10 STRIKES AND LIGHT TO MODERATE RAIN. THE COOL AND SHOWERY CONDITIONS WILL END MONDAY NIGHT FOLLOWED BY A WARMING TREND BEGINNING TUESDAY WITH A SIGNIFICANT DROP IN RH'S BY MID WEEK. LONG-RANGE CHARTS ARE HINTING AT THE POTENTIAL FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS IN CENTRAL OREGON ON FRIDAY AND EASTERN OREGON ON SATURDAY AS WELL AS HAINES INCREASING TO A 5 OR 6 LATE IN THE WEEK.

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR SOUTHERN ZONE 639:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY. ISOLATED SHOWERS IN THE EVENING.
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	54 ° VALLEYS 49 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	74 % VALLEYS 87 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	VALLEYS: WEST WINDS 12 TO 18 MPH DECREASING TO 2 TO 7 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
	EASTERN COLUMBIA RIVER GORGE: WEST WINDS 15 TO 24 MPH WITH GUSTS UP TO 35 MPH DECREASING TO 5 TO 8 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
	RIDGES: WEST WINDS 11 TO 18 MPH DECREASING TO 4 TO 9 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	0 %
TOMORROWS WEATHER:	MOSTLY CLOUDY. A SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS. A SLIGHT CHANCE OF THUNDERSTORMS IN THE AFTERNOON

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR SOUTHERN ZONE 681:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY. SCATTERED SHOWERS IN THE EVENING. ISOLATED SHOWERS AFTER MIDNIGHT
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	48 ° VALLEYS 43 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	77 % VALLEYS 92 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	VALLEYS: WEST WINDS 8 TO 14 MPH WITH GUSTS UP TO 25 MPH DECREASING TO 3 TO 7 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
	RIDGES: WEST WINDS 11 TO 17 MPH DECREASING TO 6 TO 11 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	0 %
TOMORROWS WEATHER:	MOSTLY CLOUDY. A SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS IN THE MORNING...THEN A CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND A SLIGHT CHANCE OF THUNDERSTORMS IN THE AFTERNOON

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PENDLETON WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST FOR ZONE 641:

A LARGE LOW PRESSURE SYSTEM AND A SERIES OF EMBEDDED DISTURBANCES WILL BRING SCATTERED SHOWERS...ISOLATED THUNDERSTORMS...AND BREEZY WINDS THROUGH MONDAY. MOST STORMS THAT DEVELOP SHOULD HAVE FEWER THAN 10 STRIKES AND LIGHT TO MODERATE RAIN. THE COOL AND SHOWERY CONDITIONS WILL END MONDAY NIGHT FOLLOWED BY A WARMING TREND BEGINNING TUESDAY WITH A SIGNIFICANT DROP IN RH'S BY MID WEEK. LONG-RANGE CHARTS ARE HINTING AT THE POTENTIAL FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS IN CENTRAL OREGON ON FRIDAY AND EASTERN OREGON ON SATURDAY AS WELL AS HAINES INCREASING TO A 5 OR 6 LATE IN THE WEEK.

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR COLUMBIA BASIN ZONE 641:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY THEN BECOMING PARTLY CLOUDY.
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	56 ° VALLEYS 51 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	62 % VALLEYS 77 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	VALLEYS: WEST WINDS 12 TO 18 MPH WITH GUSTS UP TO 30 MPH DECREASING TO 4 TO 9 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT. RIDGES: WEST WINDS 12 TO 19 MPH DECREASING TO 5 TO 11 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	0 %
TOMORROW'S WEATHER:	PARTLY CLOUDY THEN BECOMING MOSTLY CLOUDY. A SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS IN THE AFTERNOON.

SPOKANE WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST FOR ZONE 673:

SPRING-LIKE WEATHER WILL PREVAIL THROUGH MONDAY AS A COLD TROUGH OF LOW PRESSURE SLOWLY MOVES OVER THE INLAND NORTHWEST. SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS WILL SUBSIDE THIS EVENING BUT THEY WILL REDEVELOP ON SUNDAY. MORE SHOWERS ARE EXPECTED FOR MONDAY MAINLY OVER THE PANHANDLE AND EXTREME EASTERN WASHINGTON. HOT DRY WEATHER WILL RETURN TO THE REGION BY THE END OF NEXT WEEK.

TONIGHTS WEATHER FOR COLUMBIA BASIN ZONE 673:

SKY/WEATHER	MOSTLY CLOUDY
MINIMUM TEMPERATURE:	57 ° VALLEYS 50 ° MOUNTAINS
MAXIMUM RELATIVE HUMIDITY:	60 % VALLEYS 70 % MOUNTAINS
WINDS:	WEST 7 TO 12 MPH. GUSTS UP TO 30 MPH IN THE EVENING DECREASING TO 20 MPH OVERNIGHT.
HAINES INDEX:	2 VERY LOW
LAL:	1
CWR:	0 %
TOMORROWS WEATHER:	PARTLY SUNNY. SLIGHT CHANCE OF RAIN SHOWERS IN THE AFTERNOON.

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